GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Upgradation of Coaches
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways propose to improve the condition of railway coaches and if so, the details of steps taken/being taken to improve the sleeper class coaches, AC-I, AC-II and AC-III coaches etc.;

(b) the time by which the improvements/upgradation of coaches is likely to be made;

(c) the trains which would be taken up on priority basis in Karnataka to improve the condition of railway coaches;

(d) whether trains going to international tourist destination like Mysore and Goa are getting urgent attention; and

(e) if so, the time by which these are likely to be upgraded?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a): Improving the conditions of the railway coaches is a continuous process. Condition of the coaches including that of Sleeper, AC-I, AC-II and AC-III is being improved upon through maintenance in coaching depots and workshops during their scheduled maintenance.
(b): Improvement/upgradation of the coaches is a continuous process.
(c): All the passenger train coaches including those in Karnataka are being given equal importance and attended for improvement during their scheduled maintenance as and when these are due.
(d): Coaches in trains including those going to international tourist destinations like Mysore and Goa are being attended as when these are due for scheduled maintenance.
(e): Does not arise.
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